



SEMI-WEEKLY SOUTH KENTUCKIAN.

FRIDAY, MARCH 25, 1887.  
CHAS. M. MEACHAM - Editor.

William, Emperor of Germany, entered upon his 91st year last Tuesday. He is still hale and hearty.

The will of John H. McFarland, Owenboro, is being contested by some of his dissatisfied heirs.

The last will of the late Wilber F. Storey, of the Chicago Times, has been nullified by the Illinois supreme court.

In a recent type-writer contest in New York, Miss Rector wrote 384 words in four minutes and forty-two seconds.

Great preparations are being made at Washington for the national drill, which takes place there from May 23 to the 30th.

Gov. Marmaduke has notified the legislature that he will call an extra session soon for the purpose of railway legislation.

Chas. Priest was instantly killed and Dan Gilligan badly bruised by falling stone in a coal mine near Hawesville.

Dr. Sowers, of Washington says the President is not liable to live through his term unless he takes more exercise.

A Connecticut woman, at the home town of E. T. Barnum—Bridgeport—has given birth to a baby which is part boy and part elephant.

A boarding house owned by the Colby Iron Co., Bessemer, Mich., burned Wednesday night and ten persons were burned to death.

Gov. Knott has appointed Jas. W. Roberts, of Henry county, to represent the 7th district on the State Board of Equalization, vice W. J. Chinn, resigned.

By a gunpowder explosion in the house of a man named Foster, in the Indian territory, two of his children were killed and himself and wife seriously hurt.

Two farmers named Millmont and two named Cinder, of Buchanan Co., Missouri, fought out a family feud and one of each family is supposed to be mortally wounded.

John A. Logan, son of the dead Senator of that name, was married at Youngstown, Ohio, Thursday to Miss Edith M. Andrews, one of the wealthiest young ladies of Central Ohio.

No. B. Simmons, a country merchant near Russellville, was murdered in his store Tuesday night, and his cash drawer robbed of \$2.50. He was 40 years old and unmarried. No clue to the murderers.

Al. G. Pendleton was found dead near Danville. The verdict of the coroner's jury was that he was frozen or chilled to death while demented. He was an old bummer who went to the dogs from drinking liquor.

Dry goods dealers held a meeting yesterday at New York to protest against exorbitant freight rates established by trunk lines. It was determined, if found necessary for relief, to appeal to the inter-state commerce commissioners when appointed.

Having succeeded in electing Harris Governor, the Louisville Commercial has now turned its attention to the Senatorial race. It gives the following figures as the result of reports of preferences from 47 counties: Beck 28, Standiford 13, Carlisle 10, McCrory 4, Williams 1, McKenzie 1, Lindsey 1.

Hartford, Ky., has come to the front with a new kind of social entertainment, which is expected to become quite popular in society. It is called an "spoon party" and the costumes worn by the young ladies at one end a few evenings since, are thus described by the local paper, the Herald:

The young ladies wore white muslin aprons unhemmed. The aprons were to be hemmed by the young men and a prize to be given for the best work."

This rather unique style of dressing is novel in this climate and country and at this advanced stage of civilization, when fashion rules as a despot, but it is of very ancient origin, dating back more than 6,000 years to the time when our most remote ancestors made their advent upon terra firma, and fig leaves were used instead of muslins.

The Illinois Supreme Court Wednesday affirmed the decision of the lower courts in the sensational divorce case of Caswell vs. Caswell. The affirmation set aside a confessedly fraudulent divorce which Daniel H. Caswell, now a wealthy merchant in Nashville, Tenn., secretly obtained nineteen years ago from his wife, Ann Mary, of New York. The six children of Caswell by a second marriage with Miss Mary Broadwell, of Dayton, are rendered illegitimate, and he is made liable for bigamy and perjury in Illinois and Ohio. Caswell, after deserting his wife and wronging her by the fraudulent divorce concealed his whereabouts for 17 years. His defense in court was that it would be contrary to public policy to disturb a decree that had stood unchallenged so long. The defendant and his two wives are highly connected, having relatives scattered throughout the Union, holding distinguished social, political and commercial positions.

The Next Governor.

The Louisville Commercial has been sending out letters of inquiry in regard to the race for Governor and in summing up makes the following estimate of the standing of the several candidates:

	Louisville	23
Fastill	13 Lawrence	6
Fayette	8 Lewis	6
Henry	7 Nicholas	5
Grimes	7 Clay	5
Garrison	5 Rowan	2
Brenton	4 Mason	13
Carter	6 Boyle	1
Davies	16 Rockcastle	1
Hancock	3 Clark	7
Pulaski	7 Greenup	1
Knox	3 Lee	3
McCracken	1 Cumberland	1
Marion	3 Montgomery	3
Floyd	3 Bain	6
Total		244

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FOR BUCKNER.

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	Louisville	23
Cochrane	6 Green	8
Edmonson	10 Taylor	13
Harvin	8 Gallatin	5
Oglethorpe	3 Lyon	4
Franklin	9 Graves	14
Hart	7 Boone	8
Breckinridge	7 Taylor	4
Louisville	22 Mercer	22
Total		148

FOR HOLY.

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	Louisville	23
Carroll	1 Marshall	6
Edmonson	5 Taylor	7
Scott	9 Trigg	4
Montgomery	8 Harlan	4
Adams	4 Knott	2
Wayne	6 Owings	17
Bourbon	5 Estill	1
McCracken	8 Edmonson	3
Ogle	9 Campbell	16
Total		94

FOR DEERY.

The Louisville Commercial has been sending out letters of inquiry in regard to the race for Governor and in summing up makes the following estimate of the standing of the several candidates:

	Louisville	23
Carroll	7 Campbell	16
Edmonson	5 Kenyon	22
Bracken	6 Pendleton	6
Total		44

DOUBTFUL AND UNINSTRUCTED.

The Louisville Commercial has been sending out letters of inquiry in regard to the race for Governor and in summing up makes the following estimate of the standing of the several candidates:

	Louisville	23
Morgan	2 Hopkins	5
Scott	9 Wolfe	3
Montgomery	8 Harlan	4
Adams	4 Knott	2
Wayne	6 Owings	17
Bourbon	5 Estill	1
McCracken	8 Edmonson	3
Ogle	9 Campbell	16
Total		94

This estimate is of course made to boost the failing fortunes of Senator Harris and is so far from correct that some of the claims made are simply ridiculous. The Commercial advises the friends of Gen. Buckner to go to figuring on the race and we propose to take its own figures and demonstrate that Gen. Buckner will be nominated. To begin with, the counties of Cumberland, Davies, Hancock and Boyle—the latter upon the authority of the Commercial's own correspondent in a dispatch since the estimate was made—must be taken from Harris and given to Buckner, which leaves 216 for Harris and increases Buckner's estimate to 176. The counties of Allen, Logan, Todd and Butler, claimed for Hines, are certain to go for Buckner, which reduces Hines' vote to 30 and increases Buckner's to 203. Now from the doubtful column we will take only such counties as are surely and certainly for Buckner, viz.: Grayson, Ohio, Hopkins, Clinton and Edmonson with 26 votes. These give him 229 and leave 68 in the doubtful column. There are 22 counties not included in the Commercial's lists, which cast 112 votes and most of these are Buckner counties, which fact shows very plainly where the Commercial was seeking information and in whose interest the information was sought and the calculation made. Of these 22 counties, the following will certainly vote for Buckner:

	Louisville	23
Adair	5 Muhlenberg	7
Barren	10 Nelson	8
Berry	6 Marion	10
Clinton	5 Wayne	6
Hancock	6 Washington	6
Marion	5 Christiana	10
McCracken	8 Kentucky	10
Ogle	9 Campbell	16
Total		80

The following may be put in the doubtful column:

	Louisville	23
Bullitt	5 Muhlenberg	7
Grant	10 Nelson	8
Leslie	6 Marion	10
Hancock	6 Washington	6
Douglas	4 Knott	2
Total		41

We do not believe there is a doubt but that Gen. Buckner will receive the other 74 votes needed to nominate him on the first ballot, from doubtful counties and the counties claimed for Harris and the other candidates. In fact, it is the opinion of well informed politicians that one-third of the number is not made on the first ballot, there is still no way to figure Buckner out of it. He will of course get a portion of the doubtful vote and for the sake of argument we will divide it equally between Harris, Buckner and Berry. This would give Buckner 342 and then when Hines is dropped Warren and Simpson will increase his vote to 362, and Holt's vote could be transferred to him in toto, when the other candidates are out of the race, giving him 404, or 21 more than he would need to give him the nomination. But the indications are that Buckner will have a majority of the votes instructed for him and that he will be nominated on the first ballot, the Commercial's figuring to the contrary notwithstanding.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having placed in his hands by an East Indian missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all those and Lung Affections, also a powerful Remedy for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tried many cures, has found a wonderful curative power in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this original prescription of "F. W. Owen, Jr." and the indications for its use.

There is talk of organizing a concert band here under the leadership and instruction of F. W. Owen, Jr. and Mr. Owen is a fine solo cornetist and fully able to instruct a band from a to z.

The railroad bridge workers are building a new passenger platform twice the length of the old one.

A little daughter of John Hale, of the Mt. Pleasant neighborhood, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Brook, we thank you for your explanation and also for your advice, and although we have not the honor of a personal acquaintance with you yet we had formed a good opinion of your abilities from hearsay. We looked upon you as a rising young physician, who might one day be a prominent M. D., but if you are using such a name as the one you describe we want none of you. It would be enough to twist a youngster's nose and pour a vile dose without drowning it to doctility so that it cannot help itself.

Peaches are not all killed.

ANNOUNCED.

Inter-State Commerce Commissioners.

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TIME TABLE FOR TRAINS.

L. & N. Railroad.  
DEPART SOUTH—4:45 and 6:35 A. M.; 5:10 P. M.  
DEPART NORTH—6:30 A. M. and 11:30 A. M.; 10:30 P. M.  
ARRIVE FROM SOUTH—4:45 A. M., 5:30 P. M.  
John W. Logsdon, Agent, Hopkinsville, Ky.

POST OFFICE—West Main Street, bet. 5th and 6th.

Open for letters, 8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M.

" " money orders—8:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.

" " delivery, Sundays—8:45 to 12:15 P. M.

SOUTHERN EXPRESS OFFICE,  
Main and Market Streets.

Open 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

TELEGRAPH OFFICES.

WESTERN UNION—Stairs corner Main and 6th Streets. Mrs. Randie and Miss Park, operators.

HALTOM & OHIO—Up stairs corner Main and 6th Streets. A. H. Snyder, operator.

For Louisville, Chesapeake & Ohio Route.

No. 2.  
L. & N. Hopkinsville, L. N., 10:30 A. M.  
Arr. Nortonville, 11:30 A. M.  
Arr. Newville, C. & O., 10:30 P. M.; 11:30 A. M.  
Arr. Lexington, Ky., 1:30 P. M.; 2:30 P. M.  
Connections at Louisville for all points East, and to the Virginia and Tennessee.

No. 1.  
L. & N. Hopkinsville, L. N., 10:30 P. M.; 11:30 A. M.  
Arr. Nortonville, 11:30 A. M.; 12:30 P. M.  
Arr. Newville, C. & O., 10:30 P. M.; 11:30 A. M.  
Arr. Paducah, 12:30 P. M.; 1:30 A. M.; 7:30 P. M.  
Arr. Marion, Ky., 1:30 P. M.; 2:30 P. M.; 8:30 P. M.  
Arr. River R. & O. H., 1:30 P. M.; 2:30 P. M.; 8:30 P. M.  
Arr. Memphis, 1:30 P. M.; 2:30 P. M.; 8:30 P. M.  
Arr. Vickburg, 1:30 P. M.; 2:30 P. M.; 8:30 P. M.  
Arr. Baton Rouge, 1:30 P. M.; 2:30 P. M.; 8:30 P. M.

No. 7 has Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars to Vicksburg and New Orleans without change.

For all points in Texas, Arizona and California.

The names of visitors and absentees and other such society items are respectfully solicited by our readers, and we will co-operate with us in making this department a complete social register.

SOCIALITIES.

Mr. J. D. Russell has returned from New York.

W. J. Graham has returned from Wichita, Kas.

Mr. Jas. Pye has gone west on a prospecting tour.

Mr. Ed. Stokes, of Cincinnati, was in the city Tuesday.

Walter Bowles, of Empire, spent yesterday in the city.

Judge L. P. Little, of Owensboro, was in the city the first of the week.

Mr. Alfonso Smith and daughter, of New York City, were in town Wednesdays.

Miss Lou Crabtree, of Hopkins county is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. G. Williams.

Miss Ida Baker, of Belieview, was in the city Wednesday, the guest of Mrs. T. W. Long.

Wilbur F. Wilson left Tuesday for San Diego, Cal., where he will make his home in the future.

Mr. G. A. Tandy, of Weatherford, Tex., returned home Tuesday after a visit to Mr. W. B. Mason.

Mr. C. E. Trice, of Ft. Worth, Tex., returned home Wednesday after a brief visit to his parents.

Mr. J. F. Blair, of Cincinnati, is in the city. He came to put in our new engine and start it to work.

Rev. E. W. Bottomley, Henderson, is spending the week in the city, and taking part in the Methodist revival.

Misses Fannie and Carrie Moore went to Nashville yesterday to meet Mr. Extine Norton and take a southern trip with him in his private car.

Prof. T. M. Goodknight, one of the five candidates for Superintendent of Public Instruction, was in the city this week. He is from Simpson county.

Miss Clara Means has returned home from a visit to Illinois, accompanied by Mrs. W. E. Kohl and little son who will spend some weeks in the city.

Mr. Thos. B. Burbridge left Wednesday for Fort Worth, Tex., where he will locate and engage in the real estate business with Mr. C. E. Trice, formerly of this city.

Mr. Pat H. Cunningham and two children, of Henderson, are visiting Judge Winfield's family. Mr. Cunningham came over with them Monday and returned the next day.

The handsome clothing drummer, Mr. Charlie Shier, of Cincinnati, O. is making headquarters in this city. Charlie is a dandy and sells lots of clothing. He starts out on his trip in a few days.

Mr. Jas. E. Sommes and wife, who lived here in 1874 now reside in Terra Haute, spent Sunday in the city the guests of Dr. H. B. Garner.

Mrs. Sommes was formerly Miss Mary Oliver, of this city.

To the Stockholders of the Christian County Agricultural and Mechanical Association.

March 7th, 1887.

You are hereby notified to meet at the County Court room 1st Monday in April, at 1 o'clock, to elect officers for the ensuing year, and to consider a proposition to sell out the fair grounds. All interested will appear in person or by proxy.

John W. McPherson, Sec.

DIED.

Hawthorne Cliborne, little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cliborne, died of cerebro spinal meningitis last Monday night, aged 5 years, 2 months and 10 days. He was a bright and interesting little fellow, the pride and idol of the household and the severe affliction of his untimely death falls with crushing weight upon his almost heart-broken parents. He was their first-born and during the brief span of life allotted to him, he had become endeared to them—until he was almost a part of their existence. But death is no respecter of persons and selects his victims regardless of family ties and earthly attachments. The stricken parents have our deepest sympathies in their sorrow and bereavement.

HALF RATE LOCALS.  
The following class of local matter will be inserted at half rate, namely: notices of sales, meetings, banquets, etc.; notices of church fairs, candy pullings and all similar events; notices of meetings, dinners, dances, etc. Obituaries, all over the country, will be inserted at half rate, if strictly adhered to. Our space is our stock in trade and we cannot insert advertisements free, all up the paper with matters of no general interest.

HERE AND THERE.

The vernal equinox is past and spring is on hand.

The date of the Casky Grange sale has been fixed for May 20th.

For choice Cabbage and Tomato Plants. Apply to EUGENE WOOD.

A brand new 6 drawer sewing machine for sale at a sacrifice. Apply at this office.

Mrs. John Greenwood, of Beverly, is lying quite ill at the residence of Mr. M. R. Bradshaw.

An iron railing has been put around the dress circle seats in the auditorium of the Opera House.

Rev. J. M. Peay, pastor of the Pembroke Baptist church, has tendered his resignation to take effect Aug. 1.

Any one wanting a home made side-bar, not too bumpy can secure a bargain by calling on L. G. Williams & Co.

Mr. Thomas Jones, of the Kelly neighborhood, died last Monday. He was 73 years old and an esteemed citizen.

A freight train was leaving the depot Tuesday a draw head broke, causing one box car and a flat car to be considerably damaged.

\$7,000 to loan to parties wishing to secure homes. Hopkinsville Building and Loan Association.

THOS. W. LONG, Treas.

Mr. Thos. L. Graham sold his fine Holstein bull this week to a party in Louisville. His bullship weighed 1650 pounds and was beefed at 3½ cents, to give place to another very fine animal of the same breed.

The books for subscription of stock in the 11th series of the Hopkinsville Building and Loan Association will be open April 1st at the office of Long, Garnett & Co.

THOS. W. LONG, Treas.

The Union Turnpike Co., has opened an office over the City Bank. A call for 4 per cent has been made to meet incidental expenses and set the wheels to turning. Active work will begin in a few weeks.

Mrs. S. L. Salter caught her clothing on fire on last Saturday while burning trash in her garden and was severely burned before her daughter, Mrs. Sam Evans, succeeded in extinguishing the flames. Her injuries are very painful.

Mr. Geo. M. Hart, who recently went to Denver, Col., seeking relief from a throat trouble, has been heard from and is not improving. His disease baffles the skill of the best physicians and even the climate of Colorado cannot restore him to health.

Jno. M. Gilbert, who was running a taffy tent at Madisonville, has been arrested on a charge of malicious cutting in Logan county. He is a brother of W. S. Gilbert, who figured in a shooting scrape in this city two or three years ago, and is a bad egg.

The grand jury has indicted a number of persons for violating the prohibition law—3 cases.

C. P. Nolan, same—4 cases.

Willis Wood, same—3 cases.

A. Perkins, same.

W. R. Long, same.

D. T. Farmer, same.

Geo. Armstrong, same.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Thirteenth to Fifteenth Days.

CIVIL MATTERS.

Kate L. Pendley granted a decree of divorce from her husband, Joseph Pendley, and restored to her maiden name of Kate L. Pendley. Costs divided, and plaintiff's petition for alimony dismissed.

W. K. L. Asylum vs. Luther Clark, Agreed judgment for plaintiff for \$24.45.

Following jury empaneled for 3rd and 4th weeks:

Isaiah Jones, col., Isaac Cook, Beau Marquis, Jno. II, Sergeant, Sam'l Doss, Jno. T. Ricketts, M. L. Christian, Jim Andy Boyd, G. W. Clark, Frank M. Mullin, W. H. Adams, M. Owen, Jno. B. Harned, W. S. Moore, Joe Moore, col., Isaac H. Cayce, J. O. Cushman, Julius R. Winfree, Thor. L. Graham, Jno. J. Fleming, col., John H. Brane and Walter C. Cook.

E. C. Simmons vs. Jno. C. Wilcox.

MONDAY.

The following additional indictments were returned by the grand jury on Monday:

Wm. Donaldson, obtaining money under false pretenses.

Jno. B. Morrison, resisting public officer.

Geo. Petree, violating prohibition law.

Walker Moore, same.

Albert Cayce, cutting sudden heat and passion.

Abel Crabtree, bigamy.

Edie Doss, Maud Foster and Maggie Mitchell, bawdy house.

Wm. Gray, carrying concealed deadly weapons.

Albert Cayce, same.

Gus McClendon, same.

Bettie Johnson, petit larceny.

Wm. Witty, same.

" same.

Wm. Bradshaw, same.

Tony Buckner, same.

Lawson and Forest Cheatham, same.

Turner Baker, obtaining property under false pretenses.

Jas. Harmon, cutting sudden heat and passion.

Jno. Hickman, petit larceny.

Wm. Western, same.

Following returned on Wednesday:

Granville McReynolds, petit larceny:

Jerry Stoner, same.

Dick Watts, same.

Wm. Daniel, same.

Dr. J. W. White, concealed deadly weapons.

Wm. Jones, same.

Sam Croft, same.

Frank Martin, obstructing public officer.

W. H. Martin, violating prohibition law—3 cases.

C. P. Nolan, same—4 cases.

Willis Wood, same—3 cases.

A. Perkins, same.

W. R. Long, same.

D. T. Farmer, same.

Geo. Armstrong, same.

REPORT ON COUNTY JAIL.

We the undersigned committee appointed by Geo. W. Lander, foreman of the Grand Jury, to examine the jail have made a thorough examination and find it in good condition in every respect. Find the prisoners all doing well and they say they are well cared for and well satisfied with their treatment.

Respectfully,

GEO. BRADLEY,  
J. H. HUGGINS,  
E. W. GLASS,  
S. T. FRUIT,  
WESLEY WITTY.

WEDNESDAY.

Practicing Lord's day at 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., by the pastor, L. W. Welsh. Morning subject, "Hades"; evening subject "Conversion; is it miraculous? is it instantaneous? is it synonymous with pardon? what is its nature, and how accomplished?" Public invited to all services.

It will pay to read what M. Frankel & Sons have to say in their new advertisement which appears in this issue.

Ague.

No medicine in the world will affect such an immediate and complete cure for any and all Malarial or Bilious troubles as Collins' Ague Cure.

I guarantee a cure with every bottle either of Ague, Chills, Malaria fever etc., or Biliousness, Dyspepsia or Liver Complaint. Money refunded in every case of failure.

R. ARMITSTED,  
HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

Florida Rates.

Tickets will be sold to all points in Florida until April 1st, gone for 30 days, for one fare, for round trip.

This will give all who want to visit the Sunny South the last chance at low rates as effects of the Inter State Commerce bill will be felt after the first of April. Now is your opportunity.

AN ACEPHALOUS CALF.

